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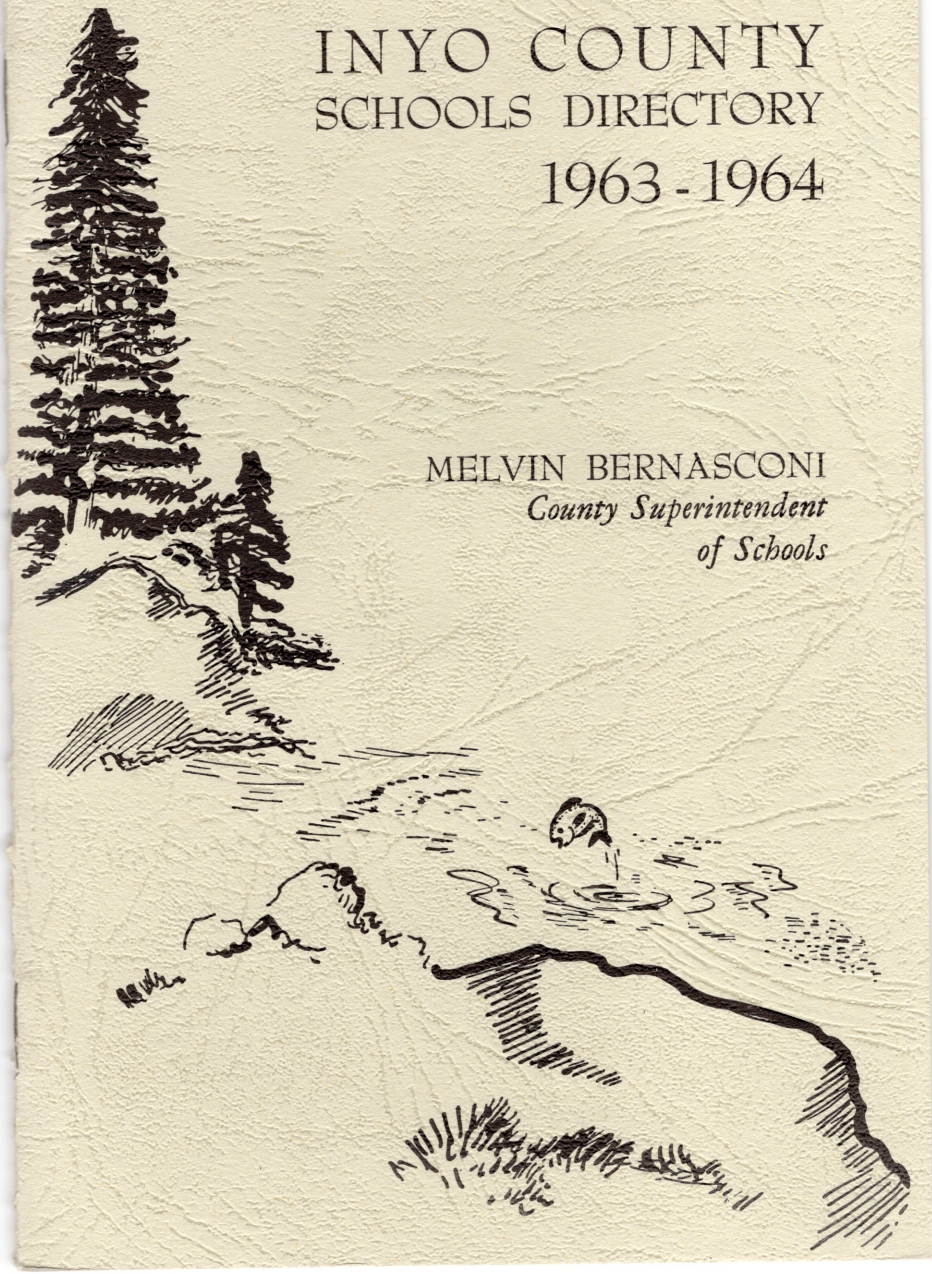

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County Superintendent
of Schools

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1963-1964

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Teacher	Class-Grade
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Mrs. Elizabeth S. Vernon	Second
Mrs. Eleanor Newman	Third
Mrs. Garvine L. Dimery	Fourth
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Robert V. Watkins	Eighth
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Telephone UPton 2-4931

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Mrs. Betty Lentz, School Secretary
Mrs. Laura Hansen, School Nurse

Teacher	Class-Grade
Mrs. Betty Strachan	Fourth
Mrs. Florence Phillips	Fourth
Donald Owen	Fourth
Mrs. Lucille Bates	Fourth
Miss Loraine Bemis	Fifth
Mrs. Luceille Knighton	Fifth
Floyd Smith	Fifth
Richard Walker	Fifth
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Wrex Smith	Sixth
Harold Huxley	Sixth
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Augustus Williams	Seventh
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Robert Tanner	Eighth
Mrs. Geneva Meyring	Eighth
Robert Collins	Eighth
William Hollis	Eighth
John Reeder	Special Education
Clarence Winden	Band and Music
Mrs. Frieda Fischer	Homemaking, Audio-Visual
David Rife	Mathematics-Boys' P.E.
Lawrence Calkins	Spanish
Mrs. LaBerta Mann	French-English
Gordon Strachan	Shop

BISHOP UNION ELEMENTARY
301 West Line Street, Bishop, California 93514
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FRED C. PATTERSON, Principal

Mrs. Grace Shepherd, School Secretary

Mrs. Laura Hansen, School Nurse

Teacher	Class-Grade
Mrs. Ruth Janes	Kindergarten
Mrs. Genevieve Morhardt	Kindergarten
Mrs. Carolyn Williams	First
Mrs. Jean McGill	First
Mrs. Marilyn Nordquist	First
Mrs. Jeannine Holt	First
Mrs. Myrtle Landis	First
Mrs. Janice Jacobs	First
Mrs. Muriel Boling	Second
Mrs. Vivienne Ferber	Second
Mrs. Bessie Gordon	Second
Mrs. Mavis Slater	Second
Mrs. Mildred Symons	Second
Mrs. Teresa Herzig	Third
Mrs. Edith Lamkin	Third
Mrs. Myrtle Smith	Third
Mrs. Ethel Stokes	Third
Mrs. Eleanor Rapp	Third
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301 North Fowler Street, Bishop, California 93514
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Mrs. Beulah Schiotz, School Nurse

Teacher	Class-Grade
George W. Alexson	Dean of Boys, Civics, Senior Problem
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Clyde Combs	Geometry, Physics, Algebra
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Orville Nelson	Shop, Vocational-Agricultural
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Miss Margaret Sansom	English
Eiler Schiotz	Chemistry, Athletics
Miss Minnilee Shank	Physical Education
David Sharp	Civics, Senior Problems
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Irwin Spector	English, Social Studies, Physical Education
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Carl Walkup	Commercial
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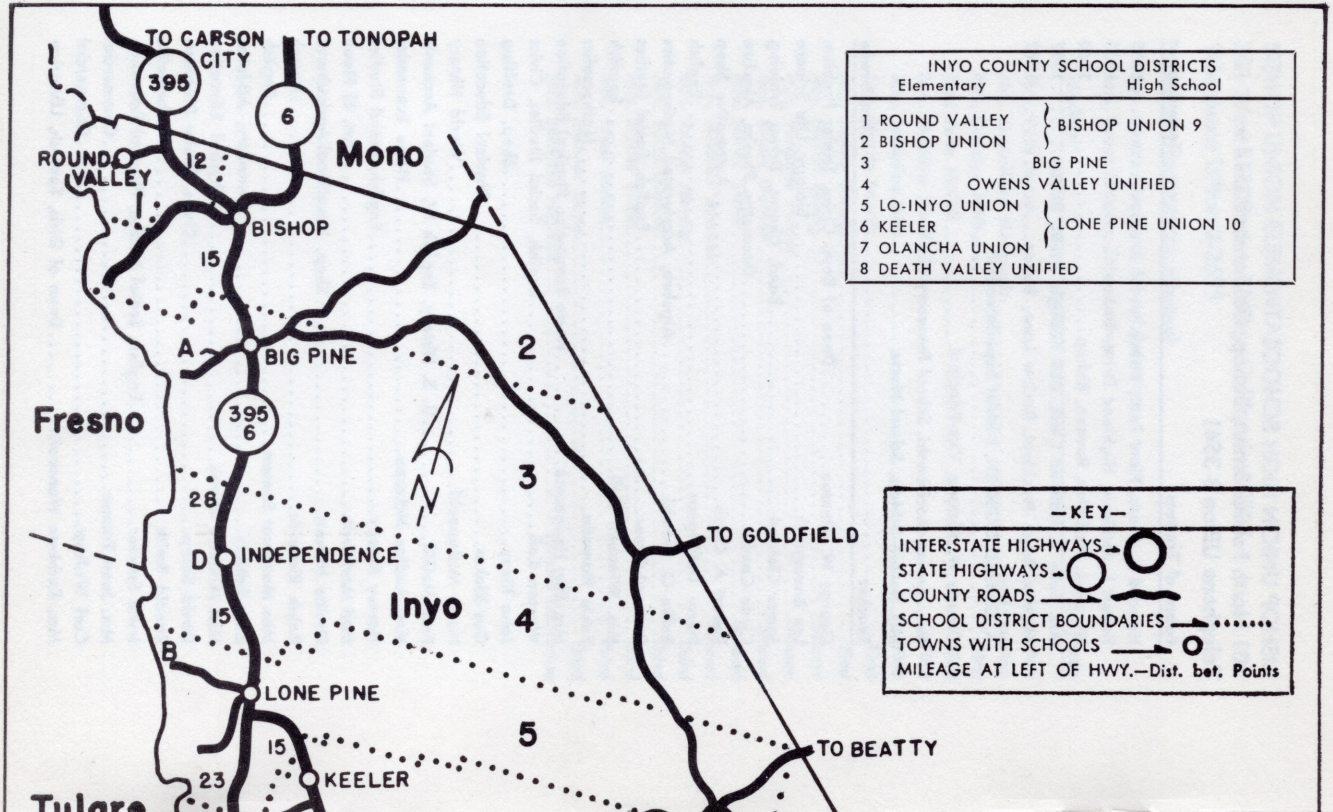
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BISHOP UNION 9
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BIG PINE
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6 KEELER
LONE PINE UNION 10
7 OLANCHA UNION
8 DEATH VALLEY UNIFIED
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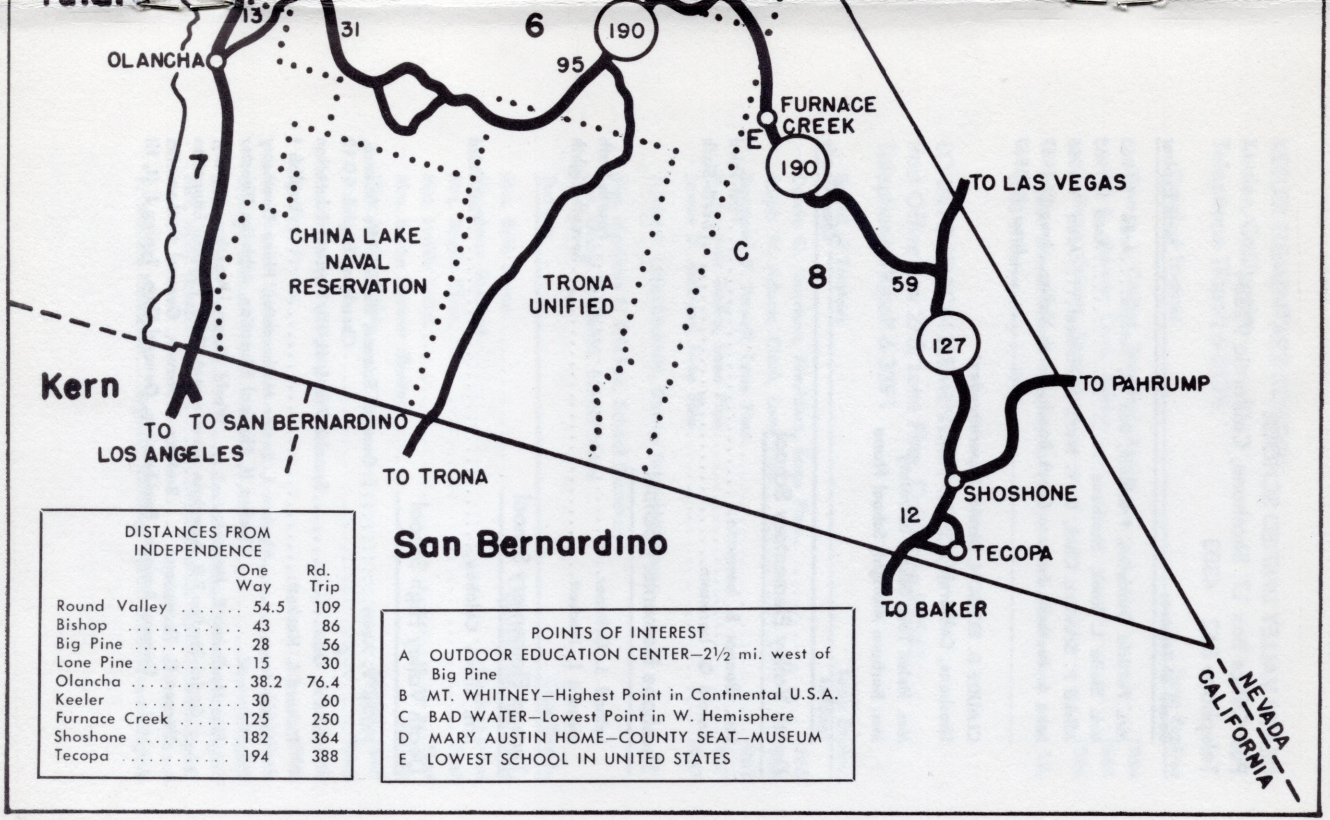

DISTANCES FROM INDEPENDENCE

	One Way	Rd. Trip
Round Valley	54.5	109
Bishop	43	86
Big Pine	28	56
Lone Pine	15	30
Olancha	38.2	76.4
Keeler	30	60
Furnace Creek	125	250
Shoshone	182	364
Tecopa	194	388

POINTS OF INTEREST

A OUTDOOR EDUCATION CENTER—2½ mi. west of Big Pine

B MT. WHITNEY—Highest Point in Continental U.S.A.

C BAD WATER—Lowest Point in W. Hemisphere

D MARY AUSTIN HOME—COUNTY SEAT—MUSEUM

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CLAUDE D. ELLISON, District Superintendent
Shoshone, California

Mrs. Helen Tom, School Secretary
Mrs. Barbara Albright, School Nurse

Teacher	Class-Grade

Death Valley Elementary School

Mrs. Eleanor B. Isermann ..... First-Third
Harold G. Isermann ..... Fourth-Sixth

Shoshone Elementary School

Leland J. Gritzner ..... Fourth-Sixth
Richard L. Hackett ..... Seventh-Eighth

Tecopa Elementary School

Mrs. Lillian Calahan ..... First-Third

Death Valley High School

Phillip V. Akers ..... General Science, Biology-Life Science, Chemistry, English 10-12
John A. Gast ..... Spanish 7-8, I, II, III, Physical Education
Richard L. Hackett ..... English I
James Jones ..... Algebra I, Senior Mathematics, Plane Geometry Algebra II, Physical Education, Athletics Director
Miss Marianna R. Merwin ..... World History, American History, Social Studies 7-8, American Government, Girls' Physical Education
Vernon G. Thompson ..... Business Arithmetic, General Mathematics General Business, Bookkeeping, General Shop, Typing I, II, III

KEELER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
Keeler, California
Telephone TRipoli 6-3124

Board of Trustees	Term Expires
George L. Carlton, President, Keeler	1964
Bill A. Osburn, Clerk, Keeler	1964
B. Frank Osborn, Keeler	1964

Keeler School District annexed to Lo-Inyo Union Elementary June 18, 1963 effective July 1, 1964.

LO-INYO UNION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
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James D. Mulryan, Lone Pine	1967

JOHN P. LIEBERMANN, District Superintendent

Mrs. Marietta R. Bracken, School Secretary
Mrs. Grace Randolph, School Nurse

Teacher	Class-Grade
Mrs. Beth Bacon	Special Training Class
Mrs. Jean Burbank	Kindergarten
Mrs. Bessie Clem	First
Mrs. Lucille Yahn	First
Mrs. Susan Skinner Shelton	Second
Miss Louise Kable	Second-Third
Delbert Chambers	Third
Mrs. Bernice Van Amelrooy	Fourth
Stanley Myers	Fifth
Mrs. Louise Norris	Fifth-Sixth
George Brasuel	Seventh-Eighth
Mrs. Gloria Brasuel	Social Studies, Sixth-Seventh-Eighth
Mrs. Ruby Branson	Mathematics, Sixth-Seventh-Eighth Physical Education, Science
F. William Henneker	English, Reading, Music, Sixth-Seventh-Eighth

LONE PINE UNION HIGH SCHOOL
538 South Main Street, Lone Pine, California 93545
Telephone TRipoli 6-2511

Board of Trustees	Term Expires
Elmer C. Butler, President, Lone Pine	1965
William Thornburgh, Olancha	1965
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Earl E. Sullivan, Little Lake	1967

WILLIAM J. BAUER, District Superintendent

Donald F. Conde, Vice-Principal

Mrs. Pauline Aigner, School Secretary
Mrs. Grace Randolph, School Nurse

Teacher	Class-Grade
Mrs. Diana Brown	Girls' Physical Education, Homemaking
Donald F. Conde	Athletic Director, Spanish
Vernon Raker	Social Studies, Mathematics
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Ronald McCulloh	Commercial
Roy Scott	Industrial Arts, Drafting

OLANCHA UNION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
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William Thornburgh, President, Olancha	1965
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VERNE L. SMUTZ, Principal

Teacher	Class-Grade
Mrs. Evelyn Niestadt	First-Second-Third
Mrs. Anna Hollenberg	Fourth-Fifth-Sixth
Verne L. Smutz	Seventh-Eighth

OWENS VALLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL
202 South Clay Street, Post Office Box 68, Independence, California 93526 - TRipoli 8-2631

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MRS. AGNES B. LOUNDAGIN, District Superintendent

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Mrs. Helen E. (Beth) Kenney, School Secretary
Mrs. Grace Randolph, School Nurse

Teacher	Class-Grade
Mrs. Marilyn Bracken	Kindergarten
Mrs. Grace Mitchell	First
Mrs. Junnettie Biazo	Second
Mrs. Diane Hall	Third
Mrs. Lucille Gipson	Fourth
Mrs. Helen Whitman	Fifth
Joseph H. Englesman	Sixth
Warren C. Kettering	Seventh
Wallace B. Coleman	Eighth

HIGH SCHOOL:

Mrs. Martha B. Gunter ..... Business, Journalism, Girls' Physical Education
Oliver F. Havens ..... Spanish, General Mathematics
Andrew McClain ..... Biology, Life Science, U. S. History, Geometry
Robert L. Richards ..... Social Studies, Driver Education, Health-Safety and Physical Education
James R. Sims ..... English, English Literature, Reading Laboratory
Miss Anges Steward ..... Physics, Mathematics, Engineering Drawing

ROUND VALLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
Route 2, Bishop, California 93514
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Board of Trustees	Term Expires
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WILLIAM S. KELEMAN, District Superintendent

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Mrs. Barbara Albright, School Nurse

Teacher	Class-Grade
Mrs. Mary Almond	Kindergarten
Mrs. Kathleen Glines	First
Mrs. Ruth Hardy	Second
Mrs. Kemble Mock	Third
Mrs. Donelle Wade	Fourth
Mrs. Myrtle Walsh	Fifth
Mrs. Mary Mae Kilpatrick	Girls' Physical Education, Sixth
Harold Wells	Boys' Physical Education, Seventh
Mrs. Mabel Crispin	Eighth
Mrs. Winifred Lambertson	Music

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1963 - 1964

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE: Local — August 29
County — August 30

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL — SEPTEMBER 3, 1963

School	Month	Days Taught	Holidays	
1	Sept. 2 Sept. 27	19	1	Labor Day (Sept. 2, Monday)
2	Sept. 30 Oct. 25	20	0	
3	Oct. 28 Nov. 22	19	1	Veterans' (Nov. 11, Monday)
4	Nov. 25 Dec. 20	18	2	Thanksgiving (Nov. 28, Thurs.) (Nov. 29, Fri.)
5	Dec. 23 Jan. 17	10	10	Christmas Vac. (Dec. 19) (Jan. 1) (Alternate Dec. 23, Jan. 6)
6	Jan. 20 Feb. 14	19	1	Lincoln (Feb. 12, Wed.)
7	Feb. 17 Mar. 13	20	0	
8	Mar. 16 Apr. 10	15	5	Easter Vac. (Mar. 23) (Mar. 27)
9	Apr. 13 May 8	20	0	
10	May 11 June 5	20	0	
		180	20	